





AUG 2 1 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231 on

imothy Van Dyke, Patent Attorney

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

Klein, Ronald, et al.

Examiner

Baker, Anne Marie

Art Unit

1632

Docket No.

UF-10293

Serial No.

09/780,041

Filed

02/09/2001

For

HUMAN DISEASE MODELING USING SOMATIC GENE

TRANSFER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 121

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed in the captioned application on July 10, 2002, which set a shortened statutory period of response of one month. This is a timely response.